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INCREASE IN WAGES

aller Says Average Income Is No Now Greater Than Cost of Living.

fcer lghi ABHINGTON, D. C., Aug. 1.—The merce and Labor showing that wages increased greater than the cost of ig in the past eight years will be at-

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Depails that the builetin is misleading. Precif is not true that wages have individually an individual proportion to the increased of the proportion to the increased if living, much less to a greater expurity in the statistics presented in the builting and will be regarded by the period some trouble to disprove it. In the dry goods district, Roosevelt gent as final, the Democrats will Compto some trouble to disprove it. In the dry goods district, Roosevelt was found to be the favorite, while among the employes of one of the great insurance companies, half those who declared they would support Parker voted for McKinley, Or 28 motorman and conductive and of these thirty-eight supported the Republican candidate in 1999.

TEXAS CONVENTION.

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Prospect of Fight Over Prohibition Attracts Big Attendance.

(By Associated Press.)

HOUSTON, TEXAS, August 1.—The attendance at the Democratic Slaic Convention, which assembles here to-morrow, is supported the principal reason. It has been left per cent, the larger increase of living and years of the great amount of employed in 1903, who were die or working on half time in 1896.

The difference in cost of living and years of the great and the principal reason. It has been decided the temporary chairman, and Congressible to the principal reason. It has been decided the third that the prohibition question was palms the matter of wages. During that period has been 16.5 per cent.

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Will Welcome Inquiries.

As an indication of the greater amount if money disbursed in 1902, over previous that it is shown that in the establishments, which have been running continuously from 1800 to 1903, the aggreate of the wages paid in 1903, was 45.1 per cent, greater than in 1896 and 54.4 greater than in 1894.

In all these establishments, the number of employes in the trades entering into the statistics of the bureau were 26.8 greater in 1903 than in 1896 and 34.3 greater than ip/1894.

The experts, who have been engaged to the compilation of these statistics exact the greatest confidence in their necturacy, saying that the utmost possible care was exercised and declare that they will welcome any attempt that may be made to show that the figures are erroneous. Will Welcome Inquiries.

DRIFT TO PARKER.

Many Men Who Supported Mc-Kinley in Democratic Ranks.

Kinley in Democratic Ranks.
To test the sentiment among employes of big mercantile and manufacturing establishments as to the candidates for the presidentcy, the New York Herald has made a canvass in several representative offices, stores and factories.
The result shows that there is a drift known and Parker on the part of the mendtho in 1900, supported McKinley, or who is 1800 young for the "gold". Permografie andidates, Palmer and Buckner. While b) his tendency is not heavy, it is sufficiently marked to indicate that adherents

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CLAIMS SLEMP'S ELECTION

District Chairman Summers Says the Election Is Settled.

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"Who is going to win the congressional fight in the Ninth District?" asked a_reporter of The Times-Dispatch of Mr. L. P. Summers, chairman of the Republican Committee of that district.

"Why that was settled on the 7th of last May," replied Mr. Summers. "Colonel Slemp has practically won already. When the time for the payment of the poll tax pre-rezulest expired last May, four thousand more Republicans than Democrats were qualified to vote. Under these conditions I do not see how Mr. Slemp can lose."

Mr. Summers is one of the most brilliant young men in the party in this State. In the convention at Nortoki kast March he thrilice the body by his eloquence and expendition of the convention by his choquence and expendition of the convention by his choquence when a division convention by his choquence when a division to the convention by his choquence and expensions and threatened to blast his political faiture if he accepted the post of district elector, his won the admiration of both factions.

CAPT. ROGERS RETIRES.

Veteran Secretary of Republican State Committee Ends Service.

an active supporter of the organization faction.

The election of Mr. Fulwiler is another evidence of the determination of the AgnewBowden-Allen faction to punish the "reorganizers," as the opponents of the present
State chairman and his stand-pat policy, are
known. Capitain Rogers has served the party
as secretary of the State Committee for
twenty-one years. Along with Hon. L.
Lewis, General Stith Bolling and others, he
allied himsit with the elemp or milliant faction of the party in the last State convention, and recognized that the triumph of the
Agnew element meant his retirement, and
so did not aspire.

Fifth Will Nominate.

Mr. C. T. Barksdale, postmaster of Danville, who came to this city to atlend the meeting of the State Republican Executive Committee, left Sunday night for his home. Though not now active in politica, Mr. Barksdale is one of the most influential Republicans in his section. Asked whom the Republicans would probably nominate for Congress, he stated that no one had yet been settled upon, and there was no certainty. He expressed the opinion that Mr. S. G. Profit, of Floyd, would probably he named if he would accept. Otherwise some man from Carroll, of Patrick, would probably be named.

Notification of Mr Davis.

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(By Associated Press.)

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.—Secretary Woodson, of the Democratic National Committee to-day sent telegrams to Chairman John Sharp Williams and other members of the committee to notify Henry G. Davis of his nomination as Vice-President, to meet at White Suiphur Springs, West Virginia, August 17. The arrangements for the notification are in charge of John T. McGraw, member of the National Committee for the State.

VOTE OF CENSURE IS NOT CARRIED

Motion of Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman Rejected in the House of Commus.

(By Associated Press.)

LONDON, Aug. 1.—In the House of Commons to-day the Liberal leader, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, moved the vote of censure which he announced July 16th, as a result of prominent part taken by leading members of the Cabinet in the proceedings of the Liberal-Unionist Council, July 18th, during which a resolution was passed approving the fiscal policy of Joseph Chamberlain, in defending himself against the bested attacks of Lord Hugh Cecil and other free traders, declared the only difference between himself and Premiers Balfour was/that the latter did not think the country would consent to colonial preference, as it involved a food tax. Personally, Mr. Chamberlain said, he was certain the question was ripe for submirlon to the country and the sooner the seneral decidence came the heliur has would be pleased.

After Mr. Balfour had spoken against the motion it was rejected, fee to 210.

BRIDGE FOR THE JAPANESE

City Council Ready to Go Ahead With the Proposed Work.

CHANGES IN THE COUNCIL

Arrested for Threatening a Juryman-Fugitive Brought Back From Georgia.

Manchester Bureau, Times-Dispatch | No. 1102 Hull Street. J The Manchester Council is awaiting with interest the outcome of action on the proposed new free bridge proposition by the Richmond Council.

Action has giready been taken here on the question, and the city stands ready to do its share toward raising the necessary sum of money for the purpose of buying the present structure Mayo's Island, and the crection of the new bridge. This was done some time ago, and the city fathers are impatient at the delay in Richmond.

Councilmen Retire.

At the next meeting of the Council several of the present members will take part in the proceedings for the last time. Alderman Burrett, who has been an ac-

tive menther, will retire in favor of newly-clected Alderman Robinson, and Mr.
John Moore will take the place vacated
by Alderman Huband.
In the lower branch, Councilmen Nunnally, Fahr and Sampson retire.
The Council committees will be made
up and presented at the September meeting. There will be few changes in the
make-up of the committees as they now
stand, except to make room for the new
members.

Court Notes

A rule was issued yesterday for the irest of Orvin Belcher to answer the harge of threatening a member of the charge of threatening a member of the grand jury, which recently indicted him on the charge of falling to support his family. The latter charge against him was nolle prosequied, but he will be heard on the former.

W. S. Cook paid \$1.50 in the Mayor's Court for allowing his horse to roam

Brought Back.

Special Officer Newman, of the Sea-board Air Line, captured two negroes, Arthur Derring and Jerry Sawyer, as Savannah, and brought them back here, Savannan, and Brought them where they are wanted, on the charge of taking \$100 worth of goods from C. L. Ennis, of Chester. They were turned over to Captain Watts, of Swansboro, and will be heard by 'Squire Cheatham

Police Report.

Chief Lipscomb reported to the com-missioners last night the following work of the department for July: Total ar-rests, 22; felonies, 6; misdemeanors, 16; ordinance violations, 72; for county au-thorities, 1. The commissioners reap-pointed the police for the coming year.

Misses Emily and Xille Fitzgerald are visiting friends in Berkeley.

Misses Viola and Olle Jowett are spending two weeks at Ocean View.

Mirs Bessie Weisiger is visiting Miss Lee Robinson in Franklin county.

\$5,000 SUIT AGAINST FORMER BOOKKEEPER

A suit has been instituted in the Circuit Court by S. T. Beveridge & Co., vs. Joseph H. Marshall, for \$5,000. Mr. Marshall was formerly employed by Mr. Beveridge as bookkeeper, but left entire in June for his former home in Pittaylvania county to rest and recuperate.

VIRGINIA

to-morrow to confer with a committee from
the Commercial Association relative to
straightening the Greensboro road so as to
avoid numerous railroad crossings between
this point and Stokasiand.
FAIRFAX, VA.—Mr. Oscar Moore, of Merrifield, brother-in-law of Mrs. O. B. Campbell,
was found dead in his harn by one of his
daughters Saturday morning.
GATE CITY, VA.—Howard Grogan, who lives
two miles west of town, at noon to-day accidentally discharged a shotgun into his neck,
from which he died instantly. The boy was
hunting and Iwo small negro lads witnessed the accident.

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HARRISONBURG, VA.-C. B. Williamson, auditor of the Chesapsake and Western Railway, was painfully injured six miles west of Harrisonburg this afternoon by the derailment of his motor car, caused by a collision with a dog. He was fearfully cut and brulsed about the head and body.

LEESHURG, VA.-The Dracesville Hollness camps meeting begins and the services, assisted by Mrs. Bessle Ashton, a missionary to India. NEWPORT NEWS, VA.-The United Slates cruiser Des Moines, which went to sea several days ago on her final acceptance trial, returned to Hampton Roads to-day. The report of the board of naval officers will not be made known until announced by the department at Washington.

NORFOLK, VA.-Judge McMin, in the Court of Law and Chancery has ordered the effects of the Atlantic hotel sold to pay a first rent lien of \$4,000 to the trustees the Atlantic building, represented by C. M. Randolph, It is claimed that the assets are sufficient for the general creditors partial protection, but just what, per cent, the latter will get on their claims is a matter that will get on their claims is a matter that will save in the cours of the Arminet by futura result.

PETERBURG, VA.—Baurday afternoon, it is in the Court of Arminet by futura results.

PETERBURG, VA.—Baurday afternoon in sitemer Pacconoke, as it was leaving Finney's wharf, a mile below here in Onancook Creek, ran into a barge managed by a negro man named John Greegory. The channet gave the man took no notice. He caught hold of the linn har under the boat, was sucked under by the current and drewned.

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Great News

for housekeepers-

Half the labor of washing is saved by Fels-Naptha; washday is shorter, and clothes last longer. Philadelphia Fels-Naptha

it is reported more are being constantly sent forward.

Little Hope for Port Arthur.

Very little light is thrown on the situation at Port Arthur by the day's news, but St. Petersburg dispatches indicate that very little hope is entertained that the garrison will be able to hold out much longer against the determined attack now being made by the Jap-

The Vladivostok fleet is report ed to be again in port, but the report comes from a Japanese source and is not deemed authentic, so it is expected that it wil turn up again in the same mysterious manner that has characterized its operations since the beginning of the war and has made it the terror of the eastern seas.

GREAT ANXIETY.

St. Petersburg Greatly Concerned for the Safety of Kuropatkin.

ST. PETERSBURG, August 2-2:36 A

southern and eastern positions of General Kuropatkin's army. The public believes that the decisive battle of the campaign that the decisive battle of the campaign is being fought, but this has not yet been established. Indeed, the Associated Press hears from the keenest military attaches in St. Petersburg that for several days the main body of the Russian army has been moving north towards Mukden, and that when the present line to the southeast is forced the Japanese will find that they have crushed only the shell. Should this prove to be so, General Kuropatkin will doubtless be obliged to destroy the immense quantity of stores accumulated at Liso Yang.

Shrewd military critics, however, do not

Shrewd military critics, however, do not believe that General Kuropaikin can esbelieve that General Kuropatkin can escape a general engagement. His army forms a wedge, with General Oku hammering away at the point and General Nodzu and Kuroki operating with driving movements of great force against the sides. If one of the latter should break through the southern force would be doomed.

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The general staff seems amazed at the immense strength of these co-operating Japanese armies. The Japanese evidently have succeeded in concealing the real number of their men and guns, which the general staff now believes must be in the contract.

general staff now believes must be in excess of three hundred thousand men, with between three hundred and four hundred guns.

While General Oku is holding the Russian army at Hai Cheng in check, General Nodzu is evidently trying to work around the vital position at Si Mou Cheng, At the same time General Kuroki is At the same time General Kuroki I trying to flank the first Siberian arm corps, which was commanded by the lat-Lieutenant-General Count Keller, at Yan salin, on the main Feng Wang Cheng road, and is also pushing a strong column through direct toward Liao Yang, on the Saimatze road. Three is a road leading north from Simoucheng, which strikes the Feng Wang Cheng-Hiao Yang road west of Yannalin. If Simoucheng should be forced a rapid advance along this road would pocket the first Siberian army corps.

The report received from Tokio late to The report received from Tokio late to-night that Si Mou Cheng had actually been forced did not become generally known. The general staff remained in session until almost 2 A. M., and on ad-journment it was stated that nothing be-yond the day's official dispatches had been received. It is thus impossible to confirm or deny the Tokio report.

KUROKI ORDERS ADVANCE

Japanese Moving From All Points on Hai Cheng and Liao Yang.

(By Associated Press.) M.-At last the decisive battle of the campaign seems to be in progress. Havof the Russian position, General Rusolch has ordered simultaneously an advance from all points against Hal Cheng and Liao Yang, Fighting is raging on both fronts and still continues.

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The latest reports contain nothing yet confirmatory of the rumors that General Kuropatkin has been defeated. According to Kuropatkin's official dispatches to the Emperor, the battle began for the possession of the important position at Slou Cheng, which is located at the juncture of the Feng Wang Cheng and Slu Yen.roads.

Two separate armies were launched from the east above the two roads, while a third, under General Oku, moved upeast of the railtoad from Tachikla to try to cut off the Russian force there from Hai Cheng. If the latter move is successful, this force will be crushed.

A portion of General Kurokfs army at the same time advanced sgainst General Count Keller's position at Ikhavuen, east of Liao Yang, trying the favorite Japanese plan of outflanking him on the right.

right.
Still further north, on the Salmatsza

Still further north, on the Salmatsza-Liao Yang road, the Japanese moved for-ward against Houtslatze, twenty-five miles from Liao Yang. At all points the Japaneze employed artillery to the best advantage.

General Kuropatkin's situation will be desperate in the event of his defeat. The keenest anxiety is felt at the War Of-fice for news of the progress of the battle. The general staff seems utter-ly dum-founded at the number of men the Japanese possess and con-sequently Kuropatkin's statement that they are landing another heavy force at the port of New Chwang adds to the so-licitude.

DETAILS OF FIGHTING.

Japanese Attack Southern Front and Force Slavs Back Toward Hai Cheng.

(By Associated Press,)
ST. PETERSBURG, August 1.—The
Emperor to-day received the following
dispatch dated July 31st from General Kuropatkin:

"Three Japanese armies have renewed

o'clock in the afternoon. The attack was directed against our right flank, which from its position at Yangze Pass inflicted great loss on the Japanese.

The efforts of the Takushan army and General Oku's army to-day are being mainly directed to cutting our communications between Si Mou Cheng and Hai Chang, their operations starting from a line traversing Yanshukan, Tapuntse and Liachantse.

"On our eastern front the Japanese began the offensive this morning against

gan the offensive this morning against our likhavuen position, the enemy's main concentration being against its right flank, which was turned.

"The enemy is also acting on the offensive between Liao Yang and Salmitsza almost due north of Feng Wang Cheng against our troops posted at Houtslastze, twenty-five miles from Liao Yang. Yang. "Intelligence has been received of a considerable number of Japanese landing off Yin Kow under the cover of several warships."

JAPS DRIVEN BACK.

Russians Fling Them Off and Silence Batteries-A Japanese Trick.

HAI CHENG, August 1.-The Japanese on Saturday attacked the heights of sition at Simoucheng. Under cover of artillery the Japanese infantry their artillery the Japanese miantry charged, but the Russian guns drove them back in confusion and silenced two of their batteries. The Russian losses were slight. Between Hai Chang and Ta Tche Klad the same day there was a long-distance artillery duel, which had little effect. A single shell burst over a Russian gun, killing two and wounding eleven runners.

On Saturday fight the Japanese made desperate attack on Yanze Heights with the bayonet, and a hand-to-hand fight ensued, but the Japanese were again repulsed, fleeling down the hill in confusion. The Japanese are said to have employed their customary trick while advancing of shouting in Russian: "Don't fire; we are friends."

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The Japanese renewed the attack at daylight yesterday, training all their guns on Yanze Heights. By 6 o'clock the fight had developed along the whole front of fourteen miles, and was especially hot against General Mistchenko.

The Russian artillery did magnificently, several times forcing the Japanese batteries to shift their positions. The Russians are holding all their positions at the hour when this dispatch is sent from Hol Cheng. The heat is almost unbearable, and is trying to the fighting men, but even while marching under the blazing sun, and weighted down by accountements and ammunition, often without food or drink all day, the men try to be cheerful, and sing songs while grim work is in progress.

KELLER SLAIN.

Kuropatkin Gives Further Particulars of Battle and Announces Death of General.

(By Associated Press.) ST. PETERSBURG, July 31 .- A further

ST. PETERBURG, July 31—A further dispatch from General Kuropatkin to the lomperor dated to-day, says:

"All our positions were retained at Si Mou Cheng when the fighting ceased at 6:45 O'clock, July 31st, but I have not yet; received reports of the operations on our extreme right flanks.

"We retained all our positions held by our eastern forces at Yankse Pass. General Keller, commanding, had chosen

General Keller, commanding, had chose this as the point from which to water this as the point from which to watch
the fight. A battery near him was exposed to heavier fire than any other and
he was mortally wounded at 3 o'clock
in the afternoon. He died twenty minuies later."
General Kuropatkin also reported the
retirement of the Russian Vanguard on
the south front a short distance in the
direction of Hai Cheng.
After determined fighting near the village of Sanchengise, the Japanese ap-

After determined lighting hear the Virlage of Sanchengise, the Japanese apparently concentrated considerable forces on the Saimatsza side of Llao Yang. The Russian losses in the fighting on July 31st, have not yet been reported, but the Russians hold their positions.

the Russians hold their positions.

Licutenant-General Count Keller, at the cpening of the war, was in command of the Second Siberlan army division. He was fifty-four years old and resigned the governorship of Ekaterinoslaff in order to go to the front. General Keller took part in three campaigns of the Russo-Turkish war. In 1867 he commanded the Imperial Rifle Regiment and later was director of the corps of Imperial pages, by which Keller came in contact with the members of the Imperial family, with whom he was in great favor. General Keller was considered to be the possesser of cool judgment and to be a fine atrategist. Though a strict disciplinarian, he was a kind and careful officer and popular with his men. He wore above two heart had keen, him eves cer and popular with his men. He wore a short gray beard, had keen, blue eyes and diressed in khaki. His only decora-tion was the cross of the military Order of St. George, which he wore on the breast of his tunic.

Press. of his tunic.

His sustained two reverses at the hands of the Japanese recently, July 4th and July 17th, being repulsed in attacks on the Motien Pass.

EXCITING INCIDENT.

Helpless Japanese Gunboat Exposed to Heavy Russian Cannonade.

Cannonade.

(By Associated Press.)

TOITIO. August 1-11 A. M.—The following exciting naval incident has been reported by Admiral Togo:

While engaged recently in sweeping for Russian mines near Tungwangtao, a Japanese gunboat got tangled with a mine and while trying to free itself the mine became fastened in the sweeping machines of the gunboat. This rendered the gunboat helpless and it drifted to Shensen point, where it was exposed to a heavy Russian cannonade.

Captain Hirose, on board another gunboat, then went to the rescue of the vessel. He succeeded in getting a line to the disabled gunboat and had started to tow her away when he was suddenly attacked by a Russian torpedo boat destroyer. After a fight, which lasted one hour. Captain Hirose succeeded in extricating both gunboats. The vissel, under the command of Captain Hirose, was hit twice and three men on board of her were killed. Captain Hirose and ten men were wounded.

The funnels of the Russian torpedo boat destroyer, which was sunk on Sunday, July 24th, are visible off Shensen Point.

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Admiral Encuist, of the cruiser division Admiral Enclust, of the cruiser division of the Second Russian Pacific squadron now lying off Cronstadt. The warships will weigh anchor and put to sea under sepled orders within three days.

It is also believed that the auxiliary cruisers. I han and Ural, which probably are the ships reported as passing Copenhagen with two torpedo boats, will be followed at agice by other converted merchantinen.

chantines.

This time the admiralty has resolved that there shall be no question of the character of the warships engaged in stopping contraband. The Don and the Ural will replace the St. Petersburg and Smolensk, which will come home and be

FOUGHT UNTIL SUNSET.

Japanese Center Takes Town and Captures Enemy's Northeastern Positions.

By Associated Props LONDON, August 2.- The correspondent

LONDON, August 2.—The correspondent of the London Times, with General Kuroki in the field, in a dispatch dated July 3ist, says:

"This army began a general attack at daylight to-day, which lasted until sunset. The Japanese center took the town capturing the enemy's northeastern positions. The left advanced and occupied a position jeopardizing the Russian right. The Japaneses right carried the position against superior numbers. There was tremendous artillery firing throughout the day, and the infantry finished with a brilliant march under the enemy's shrapnel. I believe that the Russian position will be noted that the foregoing dis-Cruiser Division of the Second

"Three Japanese armies have renewed offensive operations on our southern front. Our rear guard made an obstinate defense until the appearance of considerably superior forces of the enemy and then gradually retired in the direction of Hai Cheng.

"A detachment near Si Mou Cheng, fifter miles south-southwest of Hai Cheng guccossfully withstood the enemy until 8 guc

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